



11-13-2018 Frailty in the Evaluation of Patients Considering High Risk Procedures (CCSQ Grand Rounds Live Webinar)

Continuing Education (CE) Activity Information & Instructions *(Live Activity #: WE-L11132018-GR)*

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Activity Information

Activity Description

This Grand Rounds event defined transcatheter aortic valve replacement (TAVR/TAVI), identified current approaches to frailty screening and assessment, listed controversies in understanding the risk/benefit of TAVR in relation to the degree of frailty and recognized the role of frailty assessment as a prompt to make risky procedures safer.

Please click or copy and paste the link into a web browser to access the recorded webinar:

[Play recording](#)

Target Audience

This activity is designed for physicians and other health care professionals.

Learning Objectives

By the end of this activity, participants should be able to:

- Define transcatheter aortic valve replacement (TAVR/TAVI)
- Identify current approaches to frailty screening and assessment
- List controversies in understanding the risk/benefit of TAVR in relation to the degree of frailty
- Recognize the role of frailty assessment as a prompt to make risky procedures safer

Participation

Register for the webinar, participate in the webinar, and access and complete the assessment and evaluation, per the [Instructions for Continuing Education Credit](#), at the end of this document.

Speaker Bios & Disclosures (alphabetical by last name)

All planners and developers of this activity have signed a disclosure statement indicating any relevant financial interests. This activity was developed without commercial support.

Kenneth Rockwood, MD, FRCPC, FRCP, FCAHS, presenter, the Founder, President, and Chief Scientific Officer of DGI Clinical (DGI). Dr. Rockwood acts as a key collaborator and research lead on numerous studies in geriatric medicine. Under his directions, DGI works with pharmaceutical companies on individualized outcome measurement and advanced data analytics. DGI has secured contracts with Shire, Roche, Otsuka, Baxnlta, Nutricia, Pfizer and Lumosity. DGI also receives support from the Industrial Research Assistance Program of Industry Canada.

Dr. Rockwood is also a Professor of Geriatric Medicine and Neurology at Dalhousie, a Canadian Institutes of Health Research investigator, an active Staff Physician, Fellow of the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada, Fellow of the Royal College of Physicians, and Fellow of the Canadian Academy of Health Sciences. He serves as the Associate Director of the Canadian Consortium on Neurodegeneration in Aging, which is funded by the Canadian Institutes of Health Research, with additional funding from the Alzheimer Society of Canada and several other charities, including Pfizer Canada and Sanofi Canada. In addition, Dr. Rockwood receives career support from the Dalhousie Medical Research Foundation as the Kathryn Allen Weldon Professor of Alzheimer Research, and research support from the Nova Scotia Health Research Foundation, the Capital Health Research Fund, and the Fountain Family Innovation Fund of the Nova Scotia Health Authority Foundation.

Dr. Rockwood is the leading authority on frailty. He has over 400 peer-reviewed publications and

nine books to his credit, including the eighth edition of the Brocklehurst's Textbook of Geriatric

Medicine & Gerontology. Dr. Rockwood has also asserted copyright of the Clinical Frailty Scale through the Dalhousie University's Industry Liaison Office.

Dr. Rockwood earned a Doctor of Medicine degree from Memorial University, and completed internal medicine training at the University of Alberta and geriatric medicine training at Dalhousie University.

Dr. Rockwood has disclosed that he is a Consultant for Lundbeck, Nutricia, and Shannex, and receives personal speaking fees as a guest lecturer for academic symposia.

Patrick Wynne, BS, developer/planner/presenter, is employed as a Health Insurance Specialist with the Center for Clinical Standards and Quality (CCSQ) at the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS). Mr. Wynne has been employed with CMS for over six years and is serving as the Contracting Officer Representative (COR) on the Grand Rounds Contract. His previous experience with CMS includes serving as a Contract Specialist and Financial Analyst.

Mr. Wynne earned a Bachelor of Science degree in Sport Management from the York College of Pennsylvania.

Mr. Wynne has nothing to disclose.

Continuing Education Credit Information

Continuing Education Credit

Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME)

The Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) designates this **live activity** for a maximum of 1 AMA PRA Category 1 Credit™. Physicians should only claim credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity. Credit for this course expires at midnight on December 3, 2018.

International Association for Continuing Education and Training (IACET)

The Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) is authorized by IACET to offer 0.1 Continuing Education Unit (CEU) for this activity. CEU will be awarded to participants who meet all criteria for successful completion of this educational activity. CEU credit for this course expires at midnight on December 3, 2018.

Accreditation Statements

[Please click here for accreditation statements.](#)

Instructions for Continuing Education Credit

The Medicare Learning Network® (MLN) recently upgraded its Learning Management System (LMS).

If you were already registered in the former MLN Learning Management System (LMS), you do not need to create a new login or password. However, the appearance of the system and instructions for registering, logging-in, accessing courses, and obtaining certificate information have all changed.

For more information on the new LMS, please visit <https://www.cms.gov/Outreach-and-Education/Medicare-Learning-Network-MLN/MLNProducts/Downloads/LMPOS-FAQs-Booklet-ICN909182.pdf>.

Learning Management System (LMS) Instructions

In order to receive continuing education credit for this live activity, you must pass the session post-assessment and complete the evaluation. The continuing education post-assessments and evaluations are being administered through the Medicare Learning Network®.

The post-assessment will be available on the Medicare Learning Network® (MLN) Learning Management System (LMS). Participants will need to login or register, to access the post-assessment.

Registering To Take a Post-Assessment

If you have previously taken Medicare Learning Network® (MLN) web-based training (WBT) courses, you may use the login ID and password you created for those courses. If you are a new user, you will need to register.

To register (if you do NOT have an account):

1. Go to the LMS Homepage <https://learner.mlnlms.com>
2. Click on "Create Account"
3. Enter information for all the required fields (with the red asterisks) and click "Create"

***NOTE:** When you get to the 'Organization' field, click on Select. From the 'Select Organizations' screen, leave the 'Find Organization' field blank and click Search. Select 'CMS-MLN Learners Domain - Organization' and click Save.

Please add MLN@cms.hhs.gov to your address book to prevent MLN communication from going into your spam folder.

To login (if you already have an account):

1. Go to the LMS Homepage <https://learner.mlnlms.com>
2. Enter your login ID and password and click on "Log In"

Finding the Post-Assessment:

1. Go to the LMS Homepage <https://learner.mlnlms.com>

2. Enter your login ID and password and click on “Log In”
3. Click on “Training Catalog” in the menu beneath the MLN logo
4. Enter “**11-13-2018 Frailty in the Evaluation of Patients Considering High Risk Procedures**” in the “search for” box and click “search”
5. Click on the title
6. Click “Enroll”
7. Click “Access Item”
8. Scroll down on the page and click on the link titled “Post-Assessment”
9. Click “Open Item”
10. A new window will open. Click “Post-Assessment” in this new window for it to display
11. Complete the assessment and click “close”
12. Click the grey and white “x” in the upper right-hand corner to close the window
13. Click “OK” when prompted about closing the window

Accessing Your Transcript and Certificate

To complete the course and get your certificate, you must complete the course evaluation.

[Please click here for instructions for completing the evaluation and accessing your transcript and certificate.](#)

For questions regarding continuing education credit contact CMSCE@cms.hhs.gov via email.

Hardware/Software Requirements

[Please click here for hardware and software requirements.](#)

CMSCE Program Policies

[Please click here for CMSCE Program Policies.](#)

CMS Privacy Policy

[Please click here for CMS’ Privacy Policy.](#)

Help

For questions regarding the content of this activity, or technical assistance with the Medicare Learning Network® (MLN) Learning Management System (LMS), your assessment, or certificate, contact CMSCE at CMSCE@cms.hhs.gov via email.